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THE South-Carolina Gazette.

Containing the freſheſt Advices Foreign and Domeſtick.

FROM THURSDAY *June* 25, to THURSDAY *July* 2, 1741.

From the General Quarters at Olmutz, March 22.

SINCE the Plunder and Burning of Zukmantel, the Pruſſians have alſo ſet Fire to Johannis-Thal, and to ſome other Places where they apprehended our Huſſars might poſt themſelves. They demand 15,000 Florins of the Town of Troppau, and 5000 from Newſtadt, and treat the reſt of Sileſia on the ſame Foot, forcing the young Fellows moreover to enter into the Service of Pruſſia, to ſupply the Place of their Deſerters; and whatever Corn they find here and there they ſend by Water to Croſſen. Since the King's Return to Sileſia, who is now quarter'd at Olmachow, the Number of Workmen employ'd on the Fortifications of Troppau is encreas'd. As that Place is with regard to us the Key of Sileſia, 'tis evident that he intends to put it in a State of Defence, and he is ſure to ſucceed, becauſe the only Way by which we can come at him to hinder it is abſolutely impaſſable by reaſon of the great Quantity of Snow with which the Hills are ſtill cover'd.

Vienna, March 22. The 19th Inſtant, being the Feſtival of St. Joſeph, whoſe Name the new born Archduke bears, the Queen created ten Veldt-Marſhals, viz the Counts of Althan, Cordoue, Daun and Hohenzottern, the Baron de Schmettau, Prince Maximillian of Heſſe Caſſel, the Counts Traun and Neuperg, Prince Lobkowitz, and the Prince of Hildbourghauſen. Her Majeſty alſo made Four Generals of Horſe, Four Generals of Artillery, 13 Lieutenant-Generals, and Five Major-Generals.

Genoa, March 25. Several Councils have been held this Week about ſome Diſpatches which the Government receiv'd from Verſailles and Madrid, relating to the Affairs of Corſica, and Spain's Preparations to invade Italy. We expect the Fate of that Iſland will be quickly decided.

Letter from Leghorn, March 18.

The Maſter of a French Ship, arriv'd here in 8 Days from Marſeilles, reports that an Embargo is laid on all the Shipping along the Coaſt of Provence. He adds, that within theſe few Days an Eighty Gun Ship has been launch'd at Toulon; that another of the ſame Force wou'd be ſpeedily launch'd there; and that France is making the neceſſary Diſpoſitions for putting to Sea this Summer a new Fleet of 30 Ships of the Line.

The 13th Inſtant a French Bark was oblig'd to put in here by Streſs of Weather: She had on board ſeveral Officers and a great many Soldiers deſign'd for Corſica, whither France ſends Troops from Time to Time.

We have certain Advices from that Iſland, that the new Form of Government to be eſtabliſh'd there will be publiſh'd in ſix Weeks or two Months at fartheſt.

Olmachow in Sileſia, March 29. The Wife and Children of Col. Roth Commandant of Neiſs, who liv'd at a Place belonging to the Family in the Country, have been carried off by a Pruſſian Detachment, as a Reprizal for the Seizure of ſome Perſons of Quality, and particularly a Sileſian Gentleman who had entred into the Service of the King of Pruſſia, made by the Garriſon of Neiſs.

Berlin, March 11. Since the King's Return from Sileſia it was perceiv'd that ſeveral Perſons, who had introduced themſelves into the Army under divers Pretexts, narrowly obſerved all his Majeſty Actions and Steps. And as theſe Perſons were almoſt always in the King's Quarters and as it was remark'd they endeavour'd to mix with his Retinue, they began to be ſuſpected. To come at the Truth, a Reſolution was taken to arreſt ſome of them, who were ſtrictly examin'd. Their prevaricating Anſwers confirm'd the Suſpicions already entertain'd. Several other Perſons, who ſeem'd to be of the ſame Gang, were alſo taken up: Their Anſwers compared with what the others had ſaid, ſhew'd that there was a dangerous Plot on the Anvil. Four of them confeſs'd at laſt that they came to the Army with no other Deſign but to watch an Opportunity to carry off the King; and that there was 30 or 40 engag'd in this Plot. Another who is thought to be their Chief, hoping to obtain Pardon by diſcovering the Whole of this Conſpiracy, declar'd that the Enterprize againſt the King's Perſon was to be executed by all practical Methods, with any Regard to Extremities. As none but the baſeſt Villians are capable of undertaking ſuch Commiſſions, and as People cannot be too much upon their Guard with Reſpect to the Credit to be given to what they ſay, we are far from being inclined to believe implicitly what the latter has laid to the Charge of a certain neighbouring Court, and particularly of a Perſon of the higheſt Rank. General Brown with two other Officers are nam'd in the Depoſitions of theſe Fellows. The Chief of them expected a conſiderable Reward if he could deliver up the King; nay, he expected the ſame Reward, provided the Deſign was executed at any Rate.

Vienna, March 25. The Court has receiv'd a Courier from Colloredo, with Advice that the Elector of Cologn has acknowledg'd her Majeſty for lawful Queen of Hungary and Bohemia, reſerving nevertheleſs the Rights of his Houſe, as we are aſſur'd.

The Duke D'Uzede, who has been condemn'd to ſuffer Death, but pardon'd by the Queen, was carried laſt Saturday from Neuſtadt to the Caſtle of Gratz in Stiria, where he is remain the reſt of his Life: His Crime was carrying on a Plot for the Crown of Spain againſt this Court. All his Effects are to be ſold.

The laſt Letters from Moravia inform us, that a Body of 5000 Pruſſians have advanced towards the Frontiers of that Province, in order to intercept our Huſſars, whoſe Incurſions greatly diſturb the Pruſſian Troops.

Private Letters from Conſtantinople give us room to apprehend the Conſequences of ſome freſh Difficulties ſtarted by the Porte, about the laſt Treaty of Peace between her and Ruſſia.

Paris, April 11. Letters of the 13th ult. from Cologne ſay, a Courier was gone thro' that Place from Vienna for Bruſſels, with News that General Brown had gain'd a conſiderable Advantage the over Pruſſians in Sileſia, of whom 2000 were left dead in the Field; but it required Confirmation.

Plymouth,

Plymouth, April 5. Yesterday came in here his Majesty's Ships the Mary Galley and Rochester from a Cruise; by the former we hear that the Spaniards have taken not far from Scilly the Wilmington, Bulmer, and Stamboline, Hayes, with Fruit from Smyrna for London, but that the latter was retaken by the Colchester Man of War. The Privateer which took them had 36 Guns and 400 Men. The Spaniards in the retaken Ship say three other Privateers sail'd out from *St. Sebastians* the Day before she came out, and that Nine more were to follow the next Day. The Privateer is a prime Sailor, and said to have lain by while the Man of War exchang'd her Men on board the retaken Ship, and that then she went from her at Pleasure.

LONDON, April 2.

We hear hear that Officers of Distinction are preparing their Equipages, in order to attend his Majesty when he goes Abroad. And

'Tis said, that a certain Number of private Gentlemen, (besides Officers) are to be draughted out of the Four Troops of Life-Guards, to attend his Majesty.

His Majesty's Ship the Furnace Bomb-Ketch, is order'd into Deptford Dock to be converted into a Man of War of Twenty Guns.

April 4. Vast Quantities of Ammunition and Provisions are getting ready to put on Board Sir John Norris's Fleet; and Orders have been issued for making the utmost Dispatch with them.

Yesterday it was reported, that an Express was arrived from Hanover at St. James's, with the Account that his Majesty's Palace there was almost burnt down.

April 7. We hear, the Proposal for the better manning Merchant Ships in Time of War (*mention'd formerly in this Paper*) by the Assistance of Marines has been thought so beneficial to the Trade and Navigation of these Kingdoms, that it has now been considered; and as this Method may be pursued without putting the Merchants to any Expence whatsoever, and be a Means of training up great Numbers of Seamen for the Service of the Navy, proper Application will soon be made for carrying an Affair of so great Consequence into speedy Execution.

We now hear the 23d Instant is fix'd for the Rising of the Parliament; and 'tis said his Majesty will set out soon after for Hanover.

April 9. The Right the Lords of the Admiralty have appointed Capt. Harrison, Commander of the Mary Galley, a fifth Rate Man of War, to be Commander of the Argyle, a fourth Rate of 50 Guns.

By Act of Parliament, the Captain of the Man of War and his Company, that retook the Stamboline Turkyman from the Spaniards, are entitled to an 8th Part of her for Salvage; but had a Privateer or Letter of Marque Ship recover'd her out of the Enemy's Hands, the Commander and his People would have a Right to a 5th, if she had been taken 40 Hours, and more in Proportion for a longer Time.

Warrants are just sent down for victualling the Royal George and Royal Sovereign, two first Rate Men of War, with all Expedition.

His Majesty's Ship the Blandford, of 20 Guns, is order'd to be rebuilt.

We hear, that the Plague is again broke out at Algiers.

Yesterday's Holland Mail advises from Berlin of the 18th past, that they had lost but 9 Men in taking Glogau by Storm, and had but 33 wounded; besides two Field and three Subaltern Officers. That another strong Supply of Artillery and Ammunition had been sent two Days before for Silesia, and every Thing was getting ready for the Camp of Observation between Grumbrock and Spandau, which will be form'd by the first of May, at which Time the King is to make a Tour thither, in order to View them. That his Majesty intends to attack Breig and Neiss at once by a Bombardment, and as the Austrians seem resolved to succour those Fortresses, it was probable, that a General Engagement would ensue. That the King caused 6000 Rixdollars to be distributed amongst the Troops that took Glogau, in Lieu of the Plunder they were forbid to make; and the Peasants of a Village near Troppau, have been hang'd, for having made a Conspiracy to murder the Prussian Soldiers that were quartered there.

CHARLES-TOWN, July 2.

We are at present (in this Town) entirely without Flour or Bread of any sort, so that if our good Neighbours at *Philadelphia* and *New-York* do not speedily supply us, we are likely to continue so.

We hear that the Vessel lately cast away on *Augustine* Bar, was their Pay-Ship, and that the Money is all lost.

On Sunday the 21st past in the Night, Three *English* Men made their Escapes from *St. Augustine*, in a Boat belonging to Capt. *Gould* of *Bristol*, and the Wednesday Morning following arrived here: One of them (*John Lucas*) who lately belonged to the *Ancona Merchant*, taken in *November* last by the *Spaniards*, gives the following Account, That 3 Weeks after the *Ancona* was sent to *Augustine*, the Privateer which took her return'd from her Cruise, having taken two Schooners bound from *Boston* for *Cape Fear*, one of which was arrived and the other never heard of; after the Privateer had been there about 3 Weeks, (where each Man shar'd 120 Dollars) she sail'd for the *Havannah* with her Prizes. *Lucas* being on board the Privateer was carried to the *Havannah* in her, where (he says) they were building several Gallies for transporting Men to invade the *Bahama Islands*. The Privateer being refitted, sail'd the 6th of *April* for *St. Augustine*, with several other Vessels (formerly mention'd in this Paper) laden with Provisions, where being arriv'd and having landed the Provisions, they all sail'd on a Cruise, station'd as follows, an old rotton Man of War Snow with 14 Carriage and 12 Swivel Guns, a Schooner and a Sloop along the Coast from *North-Carolina* to the Capes of *Virginia*, and 4 Sloops along our Coast. That the Sloop station'd off *North Carolina* had taken off that Place and sent into *St. Augustine* a very fine large Sloop bound from *Boston* for *Cape Fear*, and also a small Sloop (commanded by one *Gold*) bound from *Virginia* for the same Place; of the former they have made as fine a Privateer as ever has been fitted out, she mounts at present only 8 Carriage Guns, (but is capable of carrying 14) is commanded by a *French* Captain, and mann'd with 70 *French* Men, besides which she has a vast Quantity of Arrows on board; she is station'd to cruise off and on our Bar, and was to sail Monday the 29th past: Of the latter they are also making a Privateer, she is to carry 40 Men, mount 4 Carriage Guns, and to cruise on our Coast in order to intercept our Perryaugers and other small Craft. The *Spaniards* who brought the aforesaid Sloops to *Augustine*, say, that the Man of War and Privateers (besides the Vessels they sent in there) had taken and sent to the *Havannah* 36 Sail, the greatest part of them were taken on our Coast. *Lucas* further informs us, that the *Spaniards* say, 'The *English* at *Carolina* are all certainly a sleep, o-'therwise they'd not let us take their Vessels *even* on the 'Bar of *Charlestown*.' That the Privateer which had taken Capt. *Ford*, Capt. *Gould* and Capt. *Marther*, was preparing to return to the *Havannah* with her Prizes. That at the Time of the great Conflagration in this Town, the *Spaniards* at *Augustine* were preparing to surprise us, but upon second Thoughts they laid that Design aside; And that they had receiv'd certain Advice, (by a Vessel from the *Havannah* in 6 Days Passage) that Admiral VERNON had taken *Carthagena*.

Another Half Galley is now building here for the Service of the Government, and will be finish'd with all Expedition.

We hear that His Majesty's Sloop the *Wolf*, Capt. *Burdridge*, was lately lost among the *Bahama Islands*.

Custom House, Charlestown, Entred Inwards.

Ship Port Factor, Francis Bennet from London.
Billander Deborah, John Haslop from Dover.

Entred Outwards.

None

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Mary, James Crosi to Cowes.
Ship Lydia and Dorothy, John Gowan to Ditto.
Ship John & Isabella, William Warden and
Ship Susannah, William Gregory to Antigua.

Exported from this Place since Nov. 1. 1740. Rice 72659 Barrels, and 2095 Baggs. Pitch 10462 Barrels. Tarr 1444 Barrels. Turpentine 929 Barrels.

PRICE of the following Goods.

Rice 31 *per C.*
Pitch 3 *l. per Barrel.*
Tarr 45 *s.*
Turpentine 22 *s.* 6 *d.*
Staves 16 *l* per 1000.
Indian Corn 25 *s. per Bush.*

Advertiſements.

JUST imported in Capt. *Bennet* from *London*, callicoes, womens ſilk hoſe, Genoa hoſe, Scotch cnecks, hollands, cambricks, loaf ſugar, green and bohea tea; alſo ſundry other Goods mentioned in a former Advertiſement, to be ſold at reaſonable Rates, by

Binford & Oſmond.

JUST IMPORTED in the Port Factor, *Capt.* Bennet *from* London, *MOST SORTS OF EUROPEAN AND INDIA GOODS PROPER FOR THE SEASON, AND TO BE SOLD VERY REASONBLE, BY*

CROKATT and MICHIE.

RUN away on the 18th of *June* laſt, from the Subſcriber's Plantation at *Wappoo* Creek, two Negro Fellows; one named *Scipio*, ſpeaks very good Engliſh, is a middle ſiz'd aged Fellow, and lately belonged to the Eſtate of Mr. *Samuel Stock* deceas'd; The other a thin Fellow, named *Boatſwain*, and very well known in *Charles-Town*. Whoever takes up and brings them to my Plantation aforeſaid, or to Mr. *Iſrael DeVeaux* in *Charleſtown*, ſhall be well rewarded by

John Garnier.

JUST *imported in the* Port-Factor, *Capt.* Bennet *from* London, *ſundry ſorts of Goods, viz Womens Silk, Callimanco and Damask Shoes, Threads, Tapes, Pins, Needles, Leather mounted Fans, Edgings and Lace, fine Gold Ear Rings, Stone Rings and Girdle Buckles, Stock and Shoe Buckles, Umbrellaes, Telleſcopes, Thread Stockings, moſt ſorts of Linnens, Bombazines, Norwich Crapes, Allapines, Gold and Silver Buttons and Lace, Thread Tippets, Silk ſhort Aprons, Gum Flower, Hinges, Nails, frying Pans, Axes, Corn Mills, Locks, Files, Shoe maker's and Butcher's Knives, Braſs Mortars, Stays, Silk Coats and Hoops, China, and ſundry other Goods, to be ſold very cheap, eſpecially for ready Money, by* William Stone *at his back Store on the Bay*

BY the Subſcriber is to be ſold, two Tracts of Land, *viz* one in St. *John's* Pariſh, containing 400 Acres, very good for a Stock, Rice and Corn, ſcituate 5 Miles from Mr. *John Ward's* The other Tract joins that whereon I live, near *Dorcheſter*, and contains 200 Acres of very good Rice and Corn Land, ſcituate about a Mile from a Landing. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe both or either of the ſaid Tracts, may treat with *Joſeph Child.*

FACING *the Market, next Door but one to Mr.* Fowler, *to be ſold by* Alexander Chiſolme, *good* Madera *Wine*, Barbados *Rum and Muſcovado Sugar, with ſundry other Goods, at very reaſonable Rates for* READY MONEY.

CAME into my Paſture about the 24th of *June* laſt, a large Bay Horſe who paces and trotts. Whoever owns the ſaid Horſe may have him again deſcribing his Marks and Brands, and paying for this Advertiſement to *James M'Kelvey.*

STOLEN from the Subſcriber's Plantation up the Path, a Sorrel Horſe, bald fac'd, ſwitch tail'd, with white Eyes and white Feet, and branded on the off Shoulder with an H Whoever takes him up, and brings or ſends him Home, ſhall have 40 *ſh* reward from

William Smith.

NB. He is a Cart Horſe and well known in *Charleſtown.*

LOST from Mr. *Henry Middleton's* on the 11th of *February* laſt, a Sorrel Gelding, with a Star in Forehead and branded on one Hip A; Alſo ſtray'd from *Gooſe-Creek*, a Bay Horſe 8 Years old, with a ſmall Star and branded on one Shoulder SI. A black Horſe 7 Years old, with one white Foot behind, and a grey Horſe 6 Years old, both branded on one Shoulder T^{M}_{I} A Reward of 5 £. will be paid for each, when brought to the Parſonage at *Gooſe Creek*, by *Tim. Millechamp.*

TO BE LET the Houſe and Garden where *James Kerr* formerly kept Tavern, being a noted Place for that Buſineſs by Country Gentlemen; the Houſe will be let with what Furniture is now ſtanding in it, for the Term of One Year by *James Kerr.*

N.B. The ſaid *Kerr* has 10,000 fine young Oranges to diſpoſe of.

TO BE SOLD to the higheſt Bidder, at *Chuliſtown* Savannah in *Granville* County, on Wedneſday the 29th Inſtant *July*, a Stock of Cattle, conſiſting of 500 Head. The Purchaſer to have one Year's Credit, giving good Security if required and paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale. Likewiſe another ſmall Stock of Cattle, conſiſting of about 60 or 70 Head, at *Edmundsbury* on *Aſhepoo* River, the Wedneſday following, on the ſame Terms as the above.

Elizabeth Bellinger.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber, a Tract of Land containing 300 Acres old Purchaſe, ſcituate about 5 Miles below *George-Town*, and ſo convenient for damming, that 180 Yards Dam will drown Land enough for 200 Barrels of Rice, alſo good Corn Land, and ſo well ſituated for a Landing, that any Ship which uſes the Port may load at the Door. Whoever has a mind to purchaſe the ſame, may agree with either Mr. *Alard Belin* at his Plantation at *Winyaw*, or the Subſcriber in *Charleſtown*, who has a good aſſortment of freſh Goods ſuitable for the Seaſon, as alſo good Engliſh Salt at 15 *s. per* Buſhel. *NB.* Whoever has a mind to go over either of the Ferries from Town, or to hire Canoes by the Day, Week or Month, may have them at the uſual Price of

Alcimus Gaillard

LAtely imported and to be ſold by *George Auſtin*, next Door to Mr. *Manigault*, nails, locks and hinges of all ſorts, with moſt ſorts of Carpenter's and Joyner's tools, corn mills, frying pans, whip and croſs cut ſaws, a Jack, mens ſaddles, ſtrouds, gloves of all ſorts, and Window glaſs, double and ſingle refin'd ſugar, ſheeting linnen, and the beſt ſort of *New England* axes, *Barbados* rum, muſcovado ſugar and *Madeira* Wine.

AND whereas the Co-partnerſhip of *William Cattel*, jun. and *George Auſtin*, has been expired theſe Two Years, and notwithſtanding our repeated Letters to thoſe who are Debtors, many to this Day have neglected to ſettle with us, which occaſions this publick Notice to every ſuch Defaulter, that unleſs they pay or otherwiſe ſettle their Accounts with us, to our Satisfaction, by the firſt of *Auguſt* next, we ſhall ſue every one of 'em without Diſtinction.

Cattel & Auſtin.

RUn away from Mr. *Guichard's* Plantation at *Gooſe-Creek*, *Tom*, a tall thin ſtrong Fellow, had on when he went away, a Yellow Jacket, Oznabrig Breeches, Cap and Hat: *Primus*, a ſhort ſquat Fellow, and *Sambo*, a tall Fellow, both had on Negro Cloth Jackets and Breeches; *Tony*, a broken-bellied Fellow, had on a Negro Cloth Gown, they all ſpeak little Engliſh, and ran away in *May* laſt: Alſo a Week ago, another Negro Fellow named *Jack*, has an Impediment in his Speech, but being this Country born he ſpeaks pretty good Engliſh, had on a Yellow Jacket, Capt and fine Hat. Whoever takes them up and brings to me in *Charleſtown*, or to my Plantation at *Gooſe-Creek*, ſhall have 40 s. reward for each.

Francis Guichard.

N B. They are ſuppos'd to be ſculking about *Red bank* in *Gooſe-Creek*, St. *Thomas's* Pariſh, *Chriſt Church* Pariſh, or *Weſſamſaw*

TO BE SOLD on Tueſday the 14th Day of *July*, at publick Auction, at the Plantation of *Joſeph Dowding* deceaſed, near the *Four-Holes* Swamp; all the Slaves, Cattle, Horſes and Houſhold Goods, belonging to ſaid *Dowding* deceas'd: Credit will be given 'till the firſt Day of *January* next, paying Intereſt from the Day of Sale, and giving Security if required for all Sums exceeding Twenty Pounds; for all under to be ready Pay.

RUN AWAY on Saturday the 20th Inſt. *Jane*, from Mr. *Joſeph Wragg*, a Negro Woman named *Phibb*, ſhe is a thin ſpare Woman about 36, and had on when ſhe went away a Blue Negro Cloth Gown; ſhe is a Wench well known in Town, having been conſtantly employed as a Waſher Woman for about 20 Years paſt, and is ſuſpected to be harbour'd ſomewhere in or near Town: Any Perſon that takes up the ſaid Negro, and brings her to her Maſter in *Charleſtown*, ſhall have 40 *s.* reward.

TO be ſold about a ſcore of Ewes with their Lambs, by *Peter Taylor* at his Plantation at *Goſe-Creek.*